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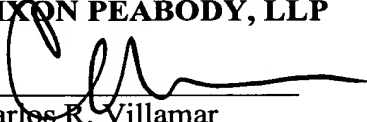
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In response to the Notice of Allowability dated **December 20, 2004**, submitted herewith are twelve (12) sheets of drawings consisting of Figs. 1-14 filing in the above-identified application.

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